

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. **(Currently Amended)** A pigment mixture comprising a component A which comprises one or more effect pigments based on glass flakes having a layer thickness $\leq 1 \mu\text{m}$ and a component B which comprises one or more organic and inorganic flake-form, needle-shaped, spherical or crystalline colorants and/or fillers, provided that at least one colorant or filler of component B is different from at least one effect pigment of component A, and provided that at least one effect pigment based on glass flakes of component A is not one containing alternating layers of TiO₂, SiO₂ and TiO₂.
2. **(Original)** A pigment mixture according to claim 1, wherein component B contains at least one colorant selected from the group consisting of pearlescent pigments, multilayered pigments and interference pigments.
3. **(Original)** A pigment mixture according to claim 1, wherein component A comprises at least one effect pigment having one of the following layer structures:
glass flake + TiO₂ layer;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂ layer;
glass flake + Fe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + Fe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + Fe₃O₄ layer;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + Fe₃O₄ layer;
glass flake + TiFe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + TiFe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + Cr₂O₃ layer;

glass flake + SiO₂ layer + Cr₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + TiO₂ layer + Cr₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂ layer + Cr₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + titanium suboxide;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + titanium suboxide;
glass flake + TiO₂ layer + Fe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂ layer + Fe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + TiO₂ layer + Berlin Blue;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂ layer + Prussian Blue;
glass flake + TiO₂ layer + Carmine Red;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂ layer + Carmine Red;
glass flake + TiO₂ layer + DC Red 30;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂ layer + DC Red 30;
glass flake + Fe₂O₃ layer + SiO₂ layer + Fe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + Fe₂O₃ layer + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂ layer;
glass flake + TiO₂ layer + SiO₂ layer + Fe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + TiO₂ layer + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂/Fe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + TiO₂/Fe₂O₃ layer + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂/Fe₂O₃ layer; or
glass flake + TiO₂ layer + SiO₂ layer + Cr₂O₃ layer.

4. (Original) A pigment mixture according to claim 2, wherein component A comprises at least one effect pigment having one of the following layer structures:

glass flake + TiO₂ layer;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂ layer;
glass flake + Fe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + Fe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + Fe₃O₄ layer;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + Fe₃O₄ layer;
glass flake + TiFe₂O₃ layer;

glass flake + SiO₂ layer + TiFe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + Cr₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + Cr₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + TiO₂ layer + Cr₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂ layer + Cr₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + titanium suboxide;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + titanium suboxide;
glass flake + TiO₂ layer + Fe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂ layer + Fe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + TiO₂ layer + Berlin Blue;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂ layer + Prussian Blue;
glass flake + TiO₂ layer + Carmine Red;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂ layer + Carmine Red;
glass flake + TiO₂ layer + DC Red 30;
glass flake + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂ layer + DC Red 30;
glass flake + Fe₂O₃ layer + SiO₂ layer + Fe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + Fe₂O₃ layer + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂ layer;
glass flake + TiO₂ layer + SiO₂ layer + Fe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + TiO₂ layer + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂/Fe₂O₃ layer;
glass flake + TiO₂/Fe₂O₃ layer + SiO₂ layer + TiO₂/Fe₂O₃ layer; or
glass flake + TiO₂ layer + SiO₂ layer + Cr₂O₃ layer.

5. (Currently Amended) A pigment mixture according to claim 3, wherein the effect pigment of component A is based on a glass flake having a layer thickness of $\leq 1 \mu\text{m} \leq 0.6 \mu\text{m}$.

6. (Currently Amended) A pigment mixture according to claim 4, wherein the effect pigment of component A is based on a glass flake having a layer thickness of $\leq 1 \mu\text{m} \leq 0.6 \mu\text{m}$.

7. **(Original)** A pigment mixture according to claim 1, wherein the pigment mixture additionally comprises at least one additive which is conventional in cosmetics.
8. **(Original)** A pigment mixture according to claim 2, wherein the pigment mixture additionally comprises at least one additive which is conventional in cosmetics.
9. **(Original)** A pigment mixture according to claim 3, wherein the pigment mixture additionally comprises at least one additive which is conventional in cosmetics.
10. **(Original)** A pigment mixture according to claim 1, wherein component A and component B are mixed in a weight ratio of from 95:5 to 5:95.
11. **(Original)** A cosmetic composition comprising a pigment mixture of claim 1 and at least one cosmetically suitable additive.
12. **(Previously presented)** A food finishing composition comprising a pigment mixture which comprises a component A which comprises one or more effect pigments based on glass flakes and a component B which comprises one or more organic and inorganic flake-form, needle-shaped, spherical or crystalline colorants and/or fillers, provided that at least one colorant or filler of component B is different from at least one effect pigment of component A, and at least one additive suitable for food.

13. (Previously presented) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a pigment mixture which comprises a component A which comprises one or more effect pigments based on glass flakes and a component B which comprises one or more organic and inorganic flake-form, needle-shaped, spherical or crystalline colorants and/or fillers, provided that at least one colorant or filler of component B is different from at least one effect pigment of component A, and at least one pharmaceutical medicament.

14. (New) The food finishing composition of claim 12, wherein the one or more effect pigments based on glass flakes are based on glass flakes having a layer thickness $\leq 1 \mu\text{m}$.

15. (New) The pharmaceutical composition of claim 13, wherein the one or more effect pigments based on glass flakes are based on glass flakes having a layer thickness $\leq 1 \mu\text{m}$.

16. (New) The food finishing composition according to claim 12, wherein component B contains at least one colorant selected from the group consisting of pearlescent pigments, multilayered pigments and interference pigments.

17. (New) The pharmaceutical composition according to claim 13, wherein component B contains at least one colorant selected from the group consisting of pearlescent pigments, multilayered pigments and interference pigments.

18. (New) The food finishing composition according to claim 12, wherein component A and component B are mixed in a weight ratio of from 95:5 to 5:95.

19. (New) The pharmaceutical composition according to claim 13, wherein component A and component B are mixed in a weight ratio of from 95:5 to 5:95.